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EXAMINING GROUP 3600**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: C. Kost et al. Attorney Docket No.: MMSI121562
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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the final Office Action mailed on March 20, 2006, applicants respectfully request consideration of the following remarks.

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